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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1-22. (Cancelled)

23. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for magnetic print, comprising:

a master disc retaining means for retaining a master disc having a magnetic part of ferromagnetic thin film formed on a disc-like substrate, ~~into a shape of array pattern corresponding to predetermined data signals formed on the master disc;~~

~~magnetic~~ a disc retaining means for retaining a disc-like ~~magnetic recording medium or a magnetic recording medium;~~ and

a magnetizing means for applying magnetic field to the magnetic part of said master disc,

wherein at least one of said master disc retaining ~~means~~ and said ~~magnetic disc retaining means~~ bring at least one of the magnetic part of the master disc and the disc-like ~~magnetic recording medium~~ toward each other a plurality of times, overlap position between said master disc and said disc like ~~recording medium~~ is different each of said times, and said magnetizing ~~means~~ magnetizes the magnetic part to magnetically print the ~~array pattern of~~ corresponding to the data signals formed on the master disc onto ~~the disc-like~~ said magnetic recording medium ~~as a magnetization pattern of the data signals.~~

24. (Currently Amended) The apparatus for magnetic print as recited in claim 23, wherein the master disc and the disc-like ~~magnetic recording medium~~ are decentered so that the master disc and the disc-like ~~magnetic recording medium~~ are retained in said master disc retaining ~~means~~ and said ~~magnetic disc retaining means~~ in a manner to confront eccentrically with respect to each other.